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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Michael D. Uhler
Serial No.: 10/002,802 Group No: 1636
Filed: 11/02/01 Examiner: Nguyen, Quang
Entitled: Surface Transfection and Expression Procedure

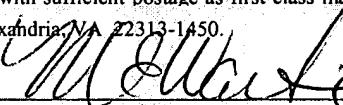
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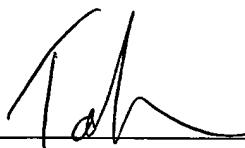
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Examiner Nguyen:

The following communication is responsive to the Final Office Action mailed December 28, 2004. This communication is being submitted within two months of the date of mailing of the Final Office Action in order to provoke an advisory action from the Examiner. The Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the Application view of the following remarks.